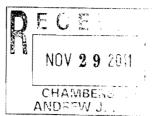
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Via Facsimile
Hon. Andrew J. Peck, U.S.M.J.
United States District Court For the
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Re: Karen Novick v. Metropolitan Life Insurance Company

Civ. Act. No. 09-cv-6865(RJH)(AJP)

File No.: 00584-007613

Hon. Andrew Jay Peck
United States Magistrate Ju

BY ECF

Dear Magistrate Judge Peck:

This office represents the Defendants, Metropolitan Life Insurance Company ("MetLife") and the MetLife Options and Choices Plan No. 12 (the "Plan"). We write to request an extension of time on the briefing schedule for the motion for summary judgment, which was ordered by the Court on November 7, 2011. (Doc. No. 43).

This is the first request for an extension of time. The extension does not affect any other previously scheduled dates. Plaintiff's counsel has consented to the proposed schedule set forth below:

| Description | Current Date | Proposed Date |
|--|------------------|-------------------|
| Last day for defendants to file their motion for summary judgment (35 pages maximum) | December 2, 2011 | December 23, 2011 |
| Last day for plaintiff to file her opposition and cross-motion for summary judgment | January 6, 2012 | February 3, 2012 |
| Last day for defendants to file their opposition to cross-motion and reply on motion | January 20, 2012 | February 17, 2012 |
| Last day for plaintiff to filer her reply on her cross- motion | January 27, 2012 | March 2, 2012 |

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Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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I, JOHN T. SEYBERT, hereby certify and affirm that a true and correct copy of the attached LETTER DATED NOVEMBER 29, 2011 was served via facsimile on this 29th day of November, 2011 upon the following:

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Approved but no further extensions will be granted.

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Judge Richard J. Holwell